



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Brian Thornton

Serial No.: 09/761,940

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For: Lawn Chemical Application System

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension in which to respond to the final Office Action mailed February 11, 2004. The Office action provided for a shortened period for response that expired on May 11, 2004. This petition, if granted, will extend the period for response until June 11, 2004, which does not exceed the six-month statutory period. The present application is entitled to small entity status.

Accompanying is a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) for a one-month extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0395. This petition is being submitted in duplicate.

In view of the foregoing it is requested that this petition be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

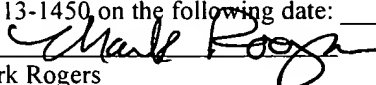

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